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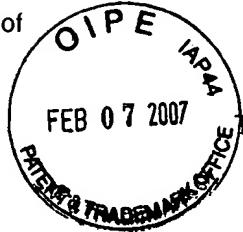
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In re Patent Application of

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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

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Total effective claims after amendment	16	minus highest number		
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Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add				\$130.00 (1814) / \$65.00 (2814) \$
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